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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1900.

LARGELY LOCAL

***** Schools are starting.

The campaign cometh.

Use "Rex Brand" meats. "Rex Brand" meats grathe best.

Mrs. W. H. Williams is a Fair visitor. Mr. and Mrs. John T. Green are tak-

Bill Shafer, of Durango, is down to take in the Fair.

See the ad of J. T. Green's harness shop in this issue.

A class in shorthand has been organzed at the Normal school.

Miss Milne, of La Plata, is attending the Normal school in Aztec.

Buy clothing of the Nathan Shoe &

Clothing company, Durango. James and George Goodwin were in town from Sooner valley Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Waring and Mrs. I. M. Jarvis went to Farmington yesterday, Judge Granville Pendleton left Wed-

Dr. O. C. McEwen was in Azter Satur-

day, en route to the upper end of the

ployed to teach the Jewett school this Frank Flack. Mrs. W. H. Hughes, of La Plats, who

this week, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Brown and daughter Miss Ester, departed for the Fair Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lightener came down yesterday from Durango en route the collection together and should be of the Republican county conve

Z. N. Spires, of El Paso, Texas, is in the county to investigate with a view of

right away, drop in at Ed Fay's Durango Pacheco were the witnesses.

Wade Hampton has returned from a on the Pacific coast.

Frank Quinn has recently purchased 160 acres of land of his brother and sisfor near Flora Vista.

dents at the normal,

B. N. Freeman, of the Colorado State Bank of Durango, was in town yesterday, bound for the Fair.

been visiting her friends, the Misses an entertainment in a few weeks. Kello, near Aztec this week.

There were nine passengers on the south-bound stage Monday. A double

header came down the line. "Rex Brands" ham, lard and bacon are sold by all first-class grocers in San

Juan county and Durango, Colo. C. M. Elliott returned this week from hie trip to western Colorado, and is

again in charge of the stage line.

The judges of election for the various precincts are to be appointed at the commissioner's meeting in October.

Bruce Graves and Erwin Chubb, of Cedar Hill, came down to attend the Odd Fellows' meeting Saturday night. The thesshers will start to work again

above Astec next Monday morning. The rains delayed them several days. C. C. Pinkney, sheep inspector for San Juan county, went through town on route home to Farmington Sunday.

The best clothing and gents' furnish-Shoe and Clothing company, Durango. Col. W. H. Williams is having a big barn built on the rear of the lot on

in San Juan county and Durango, Colo. School at the Faulkner school house -District No. 12-started last week with John Henry, son of Elder Henry, as

teacher. A hack plying between Astec and of Fair week, A. E. Brown is the promoter.

"Curly" McBrids of Durango went through town yesterday, on route to the

Freighters know a good thing at first sight. Ed Fay's Durango chop house twenty-five years' confinuous memberis a good thing. Meals at all hours and ship without being in arrears for dues.

A stream of wagons has been going through town this week, loaded with sight seers and headed for the Farmington Fuir.

Today (Friday) is expected to be the big day at the Fermington Fair and Aztec people will literally "close up shep"

M. B. Hestirickson was in town this week. He has recently sold eighty acres building in Astec is about complete and of his ranch near Farmington to John

Akon's saw mill and diffited out sgain The plustering work if exceptionally toward Silverion this week. "Same good, and the building will afford a nice

sition by the proprietors of the Astec or has find the contract for the construcdistiflary. It will about double will use tide and the job reflects erolls on his sensity of the plant.

Mes. Ermine Schwenk retorded Tuest On the occasion of the county conemain in Aztec some time visiting with lican parties in Aztec, Saturday, Sep-

friends and relatives. The largest and best stock of shoss display arranged here of the best exhibn Durango , will be found at B. L. Its shown at the Farmington Fair and Moench's. When in the city sall at the Blun of those to be displayed at the Du-Rio Grande Shoe Store.

Dr. and Mrs. Duff, ot Durango, wern passengers on Monday's south-bound stage. She will visit friends at Farmington during the Fair.

The boards of registration in each precloct are in session every Saturday until ten days before election. See that your name is on the list.

W. G. White, the wholesale grocerymun, and Wr S. Weightman, the com- enterprise and new have the satisfac-

route to the Fair this week. Colorado-New Mexico Fair association. School at Anuer ought to prosper, for it will bring people to that section who

at Durango, Outober 9 to 19. At the Nathan Shoe and Clothing Otherwise would have gone elsewhere company's in Durango you will find where there are school facilities of a those clothing bargains you are looking high class."

for. Correct in price and quality.

When in Durango take your meals at the Durango chop house. They give the nest meal on earth for the money. It's the only restaurant on or off the

curred Thursday night instead of Friday ful kind will be brought to bear. Over needay to view the attractions of the night. The Pioneer's ball occurs Friday a dozen attempts have been made to C. S. Hutchin, of Cedar Hill, made but all have failed. Caviness has two

bate Clerk Safford in Aztec Monday. killed his man." Mrs. Sarah A. Dunlap has been em. The witnesses were H. S. Farley and

> the Jurvis hotel Tuesday night en routs thing staple, serviceable and first class. Col. W. H. Williams has a nice dis play of fruits and vegetables in hisstore.

> proud of the showing made. Juan A, Mazanares, of Largo, made fina! proof on his homestead on the San Juan last Menday before Probate Clerk superintendent of schools of SanJuan county.

A. E. Brown, of the Aztec livery stable, has added some new bucgies to four-years' absence in Washington and his stock and with handsome teams to match can fix you out with a rig to go

riding with your girl Sunday. The Silverton Miner says: "Mrs. D. B. Ross and little daughter, of Farmington, Luther Hampton, Miss Randall and who have been vielting husband and Sherman Howe are among the new stu- father here for a week, left Monday for their home on the San Juan."

A literary society has been organized among the pupils of the Northwestern normal college. The society meets Fri-Mrs. S. W. Raymond, of Durango, has day afternoons, and it is hoped to give

Justice of the Peace Berry is putting the roads of this precinct in better shape than they have been for many years. There were places that needed attention the worst way and "Ed" has provided it.

Colored posters are out announcing the "Pueblo Feast of San Geronimo and Taos Carnival," at Taos, Oct. 1st and 2d. One of the attractions is the Pueblo Indians of Taos, in which forty warriors take part and run over 11,000 yards.

J. E. Mansanares is putting up another neat and attractive residence in Aztec. Enriques is nothing if not a rustler, and he has just started on his building operstions. It is a sure thing that he will find centers or purchasers for all his

It is reported that a brother of B. A. Baker, recently arrived from the east, died at Akers' mill on the Florida last Saturday morning, of consumption. We have no particulars of the death, but og goods are carried by the Nathan understand that the brothers were to

have moved to Aztec to live. G. H. Hitchcock, who was interested in the Animas San Juan canal scheme which his new residence building stands. some two years ago, came down from "Rex Brand" canned meats are the Durango this week. He experienced a best. For sale by all first-class grocers mild shock of surprise when his eye measured the extent of improvements made since his former visit.

W. G. Bansemer, the enterprising and popular agent of the Cudahy Packing company, was in Aztec a few minutes Monday, an route to the Fair, where he Farmington has been one of the features doing the business—the other concerns. are not in it in this section.

Geo, H. Everaele, of La Plata, was in town Saturday evening to attend the Fair: He was accompanied by Mrs. George is one of the oldest Odd Fellows session of Autec Lodge, Nr. 23, I. O. O. F. in the cowatry, he having a certificate from his old Illirois lodge showing

J. W. McDermott has about completed the sale of his valuable ranch on the La. Plata to the Revenue Ranch and Water. company, of which D. A. Lewis is manager. "Jim" has not yet decided what line he will engage in, that we fire pleased to senounce that it is altogether

Pater Hnickerbocker's new store is one of the handsomest structures in the town: It is 21x00 feet in size, with Pat Council came in fast week from a glass recessed front and shingle roof. home for a mercantile of any kind of A new still has been glaced in from a business establishment: C. ti. Browi Profestionship

preparations will be made, the large number of people who will be present Mattresses, Springs, at that time would doubtless be pleased to see such a display and will probably.

Juan county, wanted a permal school and so there was no legislative appropriation for that perpose the people of the town interested private capital and mission man, sojourned in Aztes en tion of having a normal school which is also a kind of a college which takes This office acknowledges receipt of a up the educational work where the complimentary ticket to the Fair of the public schools leave off. The normal

tember 20, it is boped to have a fruit

tangoFair to October, While no elaborate

From the New Mexican: "Axtec, San

contribute to bring it about.

Tae Danver Republican of recent John T. Green returned last week date says: "Edward Caviness," in the from his trip to Santa Fe, looking better penitentiary as murderer, has applied than ever and giving every outward in- for a pardon, He was sentenced to dication that his trip agreed with him. | 15 years in May, 1896. According to the Mrs. F. C. Spencer arrived in Astec trial record, he went into Dun's saloon last week from Monte Vista. Colo, and in Mancos, Mountexuess county, and with her husband has commenced there found Byron McGsough, the man house-keeping in the brick hotel build. | who had been until a few weeks before his most intimute friend. According to Caviness, McGeough stupped in between himself and his wife and was the principal cause of a divorce for which Caviness sued, and which he later secured. Cavinoss drew is guo, however, and fired The Queen's ball at Farmington oc- stantly. Influences of the most powerthree times, killing his man almost in-

The Nathan Shoe and Clothing com-Jas. Marchall, of Durango, C. H. pany, Durango, will fit you out with a CO. Peters, of Silverton and Leonard Scott, weatly-fitting, dressy sult at a reasonable has been very low is considerably better of the Blue mountain country, were at price. No shoddy goods in stock, every

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